



In light of the recent wave of violence and horrific murders that has descended upon the Black community and City of Indianapolis. The Indiana Commission on the Social Status of Black Males will **not** host the 13th Annual African American Male State Conference. Instead, the Commission will be a co-sponsor of the Men of Color Leadership Conference to be held at Indiana University Bloomington, November 2 – 4, 2006. Additional information can be found at www.moclc2006.org. For now, the Commission will direct its efforts towards working with community leaders, law enforcement, clergy, business owners and concerned organizations to address the tragic disregard for life that has devastated families, the community, and plagues Indianapolis and central Indiana. The Commission apologizes for any inconvenience or hardship caused by this decision.